

HIT THE TRAIL

THAT LEADS TO MOTHER

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"When your Boy comes back to you"

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PIANO

There is one whose heart is long - ing Just to see her child once more; —
Mem - ry fond - ly paints a pic - ture Of the days of long a - go, —

That's your dear old grey-haired moth - er! Go and greet her as of yore! —
When she kissed a - way your tear - drops, Moth - er dear who loves you so! —

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CHORUS

Hit the trail that leads to moth - er, Hit the trail that leads back

home! You will nev - er find an - oth - er Face so sweet where e'er you

roam! Her heart has loved you from a ba - by,

When your curls she'd food - ly comb; So Hit the trail that leads to

moth er Hit the trail for home sweet home! home!

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lads who sav'd the rag, boys, That lib-er-ty might still be spar'd! They're the

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